House Resolution No. 890

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding young Missouri citizen who has distinguished herself as a leader of her community; and

Whereas, Quiana Smith of St. Louis, Missouri, will receive the prestigious 2002-2003 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award during an appropriate ceremony to be held in conjunction with Missouri Service Day on March 19, 2003, on the south steps of the Missouri State Capitol; and

Whereas, nominees for the 2003 Lieutenant Governor's Service Awards must be active members of their community and participants or members of national service programs such as AmeriCorps, Senior Corps, VISTA, AmeriCorps Promise Fellows, and Learn & Serve America; and

Whereas, nominated by Coordinator Gwen Jackson, Quiana Smith is an Eighth Grade student at Lift For Life Academy in St. Louis where she has received the Principal's Award and has been named to the Honor Roll: and

Whereas, a remarkable young lady whose honesty and integrity often contribute to her leading school projects, Quiana Smith excels in her studies and welcomes any and every opportunity to assist her peers and others in the community through her volunteer work with the St. Louis City Hall, Project Angel Tree, the Red Ribbon project, and the St. Patrick's Center; and

Whereas, Quiana Smith is to be commended for her efforts to assist St. Louis residents in the search for records at the St. Louis City Hall, make posters and help organize a parade for the Red Ribbon project, raise money to buy party favors for the St. Patrick's Center Christmas party for the homeless, and distribute gifts to children who have a parent in prison for the Project Angel Tree program; and

Whereas, an active member of the Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, Quiana Smith has achieved all of this and more with the love and admiration of her wonderful mother, Michelle Smith, and her twin brother, Quinton:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Quiana Smith upon her most worthy receipt of the 2002-2003 Lieutenant Governor's Service Award, and in wishing her only the very best as she continues to serve as an inspiration to others through service learning and service to her community; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Quiana Smith.

Offered by	·					
	Representative Amber Boykins					
	District No. 60					
	Representative Robin Wright-Jones					
	District No. 63					

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and

correct copy o	f House	Resolution	No.	890,	adopted	March
17, 2003.						

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker